UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS

MALIBU MEDIA, LLC,

Plaintiff and Counter-Defendant,

Judge Thomas M. Durkin

Civil Action Case No. 1:18-cv-06447

V.

WILLIAM MULLINS,

Defendant and Counter-Plaintiff

Magistrate Judge Sheila Finnegan

COUNTER-PLAINTIFF WILLIAM MULLINS' BILL OF COSTS

NOW COMES Counter-Plaintiff, William Mullins, by and through his attorneys, and for his Bill of Costs, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 54(d) and Local Rule 54.1, requests that this Court award Counter-Plaintiff his costs associated with the Judgment entered in its favor against Counter-Defendant, MALIBU MEDIA, LLC, on May 27, 2020, and in support thereof states as follows:

- 1. Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 54(d), a prevailing party may recover its taxable litigation costs, *Smart v. Local 702 Intern. Broth Of Elec. Workers*, 573 F. 3d 523, 525 (7th Cir. 2009).
- Counter-Plaintiff is the prevailing party in this case as against the Counter-Defendant.
 The unquestionable authority entitles the Counter-Plaintiff to recoup its litigation costs against the losing parties—the Counter-Defendants.

- 3. The Counter-Plaintiff prevailed and incurred significant costs in the process. Counter-Plaintiff incurred \$451.05 in taxable costs.
- 4. In support of this Bill of Costs, the Counter-Plaintiff attaches Court Form AO 133 and attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

William Mullins

/s/Susan Malter

Susan Malter, one of Mr. Mullins' attorneys

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